

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

SUPPLEMENTAL REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Pursuant to Section 2 of the Foreign Agents  
Registration Act of 1938, as Amended

REGISTRATION NO. 456

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Registration Statement For Six Months Period Ending October 16, 1957  
(Insert date)

1. (a) Name of Registrant.

THE NETHERLANDS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN THE UNITED STATES, INC.

(b) All other names used by Registrant during the period.

None

(c) Address of principal office.

551 Fifth Avenue, New York 17, New York

(d) Name of person or persons in charge of principal office.

Ph. J. Comperts

3. If Registrant is a nonbusiness membership organization, state—

(a) Approximate number of members in the United States .....253.....

(b) Approximate number of members outside the United States 585.....

4. (a) All persons who became partners, officers, directors, and similar officials of Registrant during the period.

Name and address  
of official

Date connection began

Position, office, or nature  
of duties

none

(b) All persons who ceased to be partners, officers, directors, or similar officials of Registrant during the period.

Name and address  
of official

Date connection ended

Reason for ending  
connection

none

5. (a) All branches and local units of Registrant and all other component or affiliated groups or organizations which began to operate during the period.

*Name and address of branch, unit,  
group, or organization*

*Nature of connection with  
Registrant*

*Name and address of person  
in charge*

None

- (b) All branches and local units of Registrant and all other component or affiliated groups or organizations which ceased to operate during the period.

*Name of branch, unit, group, or organization*

*Reason operations ceased*

None

6. All persons who at any time during the period were foreign principals of Registrant.

*Name and principal  
address*

*Is person still a foreign principal  
of Registrant?*

*If not, give date connection  
ended*

- a.) Netherlands Government, represented by the Department of Economic Affairs  
62 Bezuidenhoutscheweg  
The Hague, Holland Yes
- b.) Stichting tot Bevordering van den Uitvoer  
62 Bezuidenhoutscheweg  
The Hague, Holland Yes

7. Describe fully all activities of Registrant during the period for or in the interests of each foreign principal named under item 6.

- a. and b.) The activities of our Organization in the period covered by this report were devoted entirely to the promotion of trade between the United States and the Netherlands as described in Registration Statement and in previous reports and consist of:

The handling of inquiries received from manufacturers, importers and exporters in the United States and in the Netherlands regarding trade possibilities; suggesting sources of supply or outlets for their products as the case may be.

Investigation of the market possibilities of Netherlands products in the United States and U.S. products in Holland.

Furnishing information regarding trade regulations, controls, restrictions, customs duties, etc.

Acting as intermediary in trade disputes between United States and Netherlands concerns in regard to price, quality, delivery, payment, etc.

Publication of a monthly trade bulletin "U.S.-Holland", which contains economic and commercial information on the United States and the Netherlands.

Holding periodic luncheons of our members.

8. Describe briefly all other businesses, occupations, and public activities in which Registrant engaged during the period.

We have engaged in no other businesses, occupations or public activities.

9. Furnish the following information as to all employees and other individuals except those named under item 4, who during the period rendered any services or assistance to Registrant, with or without compensation, for or in the interests of any foreign principal named under item 6:

- (a) All such employees and other individuals for whom Short Form Registration Statements (Formerly Exhibits A) have previously been filed.

*Name and address of employee  
or other individual*

*Nature of any changes during period in activities for  
Registrant or its foreign principals*

*Has connection with  
Registrant ended?*

See attached list marked Exhibit F.

- (b) All such employees and other individuals for whom Short Form Registration Statements (Formerly Exhibits A) have not been previously filed.

*Name and address of employee  
or other individual*

*Nature of services or  
assistance rendered*

*Has connection with  
Registrant ended?*

See attached list marked Exhibit F.

10. Furnish the following information as to Registrant's receipts and expenditures during the period covered by this statement. The information may, if Registrant desires, be furnished for Registrant's latest semiannual fiscal period, provided the period covered is indicated and future statements are furnished on the same basis:

- (a) All amounts received during the period directly or indirectly from each foreign principal named under item 6, itemized as follows:

<i>Date funds received</i>	<i>Name of foreign principal from whom funds received<sup>1</sup></i>	<i>Purposes for which received<sup>2</sup></i>	<i>Amount received<sup>3</sup></i>
January 1, 1957 - June 30, 1957	Dept. of Economic Affairs	see below*	\$40,000

\* Promotion of two-way trade between the United States and the Netherlands; dissemination of commercial and economic information regarding the Netherlands and U.S.A.

- (b) All amounts received during the period from other sources to be used directly or indirectly for or in the interests of any foreign principal named under item 6, itemized as follows:<sup>4</sup>

<i>Date funds received</i>	<i>Name of person from whom received<sup>1</sup></i>	<i>Purposes for which received<sup>2</sup></i>	<i>Amount received<sup>3</sup></i>
January 1, 1957- June 30, 1957	Membership Dues from members in the U.S. " " " " " Holland		\$8,225.00 fl.48,693.03

- (c) All expenditures made during the period directly or indirectly for or in the interests of each foreign principal named under item 6, itemized as follows:<sup>5</sup>

<i>Date payment was made</i>	<i>Name of person to whom payment was made<sup>1</sup></i>	<i>Purposes for which payment was made<sup>2</sup></i>	<i>Amount of payment<sup>3</sup></i>
	Department of Economic Affairs, The Hague and Stichting Tot Bevordering van den Uitvoer		For the first half of 1957
	Rent, Electricity		\$ 1,893.52
	Salaries, Taxes, Hospitalization		17,297.37
	Publications		1,897.06
	Stationery, Telephone, Telegraph, Postage, ) Outside Services, etc. )		1,252.87
	Travel, Dues, Subscriptions, etc.		453.73
	Miscellaneous		132.25
			<u>\$ 22,926.80</u>

<sup>1</sup> Include all amounts so received, whether received as compensation, loans, contributions, subscriptions, fees, dues, subsidies, or otherwise.

<sup>2</sup> Receipts from or payments to a person amounting to less than \$200 for the period may be combined with other like amounts, provided the source or disposition of the funds, as the case may be, is clearly indicated.

<sup>3</sup> Where funds were received or paid, as the case may be, for various purposes, such purposes shall be listed in reasonable detail.

<sup>4</sup> Show separately the amount received or paid, as the case may be, for each purpose listed under the preceding column.

<sup>5</sup> Include all transfers of funds to any foreign principal.

11. (a) Speeches, lectures, talks, and radio broadcasts arranged or sponsored by Registrant or delivered by officials or employees of Registrant, during the period.

<i>Name of person by whom delivered</i>	<i>Number of speeches, lectures, and talks delivered</i>	<i>Number of radio broadcasts delivered</i>
T.O. Waage, Secretary The Federal Reserve Bank of N.Y.	1	
His Excellency Dr. J.M.A.H. Luns Netherlands Minister of Foreign Affairs	1	

- (b) Publications prepared or distributed by Registrant, or by others for Registrant, or in the preparation or distribution of which Registrant rendered any services or assistance, during the period. (Indicate each type of publication by an "X.")

(1) Press releases . . . . .	(8) Circulars . . . . .	(15) Lantern slides . . . . .
(2) News bulletins . . . . .	(9) Form letters . . . . .	(16) Still pictures . . . . .
(3) Newspapers . . . . .	(10) Reprints . . . . .	(17) Posters . . . . .
(4) Articles . . . . .	(11) Copies of speeches, lec- tures, talks, or radio broadcasts . . . . .	(18) Photographs . . . . .
(5) Books . . . . .		(19) Charts . . . . .
(6) Magazines . . . . . <u>X</u>	(12) Radio programs . . . . .	(20) Maps . . . . .
(7) Pamphlets . . . . .	(13) Radio scripts . . . . .	(21) Other publications . . . . .
	(14) Moving pictures . . . . .	

- (c) Preparation and distribution of publications referred to in answer to (b) above.

<i>Description of publication</i>	<i>By whom written, edited, or prepared</i>	<i>By whom printed, produced, or published</i>	<i>By whom distributed</i>
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See attached list marked Exhibit G.

- (d) Compliance with the filing, labeling, and reporting provisions of Section 4 of the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, and Rules 400-403 thereunder.

- (1) Were copies or summaries of all communications and publications referred to in answer to (a) and (b) above filed with the Department of Justice and the Librarian of Congress? If not, explain why copies or summaries of any such communications and publications were not filed.

Yes

- (2) Were all such communications and publications labeled in accordance with Section 4 and Rules 400-403? If not, explain why any such communications and publications were not so labeled.

Yes

- (3) Were reports of the delivery, distribution, or other dissemination of all such communications and publications made to the Department of Justice in accordance with Section 4 and Rules 400-403? If not, explain why any such reports were omitted.

Yes

12. (a) Any changes during the period, not fully described above, in Registrant's affiliations, associations, or other connections with foreign governments, foreign political parties, or officials or agencies thereof.

*Name of government, party, or official,  
or agency thereof*

*Nature of changes during period in Registrant's  
connections therewith*

None

- (b) Any changes during the period in Registrant's pecuniary interest in or control over partnerships, corporations, associations, or other organizations or combinations of individuals.

*Name of organization or  
combination*

*Nature of changes during period in  
Registrant's ownership or other  
pecuniary interest*

*Nature of changes during period in any  
direction or control exercised  
by Registrant*

None

13. (a) Any changes during the period in the ownership of or supervision, direction or control over Registrant by any organization, group, or individual.

*Name of organization, group,  
or individual*

*Nature of changes during period in ownership,  
supervision, direction, or control*

None

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- (b) Any subsidy or other financial assistance received by Registrant during the period directly or indirectly from—

Any individual who is a citizen of, or resides in, a foreign country. **No.**

Any organization created in, or under the laws of, any foreign country or having its principal place of business in a foreign country. **No.**

Any foreign government or foreign political party, or any official or agency thereof.

*Name of person from whom subsidy or  
financial assistance received*

*Nature and amount of subsidy or  
financial assistance*

**see question 10a**

14. File the following exhibits with this statement: **see Page 9**

*Short Form Registration Statement* - File a Short Form Registration Statement, on the printed form provided therefor, for each of the following persons for whom a Short Form Registration Statement (formerly Exhibit A) has not previously been filed:

(a) All partners, officers, directors, and similar officials of Registrant.

(b) All employees or other individuals who during the period rendered any services or assistance to Registrant, with or without compensation, for or in the interests of any foreign principal named under item 6.

*Exhibit B.*—File a copy of any changes during the period in the agreement, arrangement, or authorization (or if not in writing a written description thereof) pursuant to which Registrant is acting for, or receiving funds from, each foreign principal named under item 6.

*Exhibit C.*—File an Exhibit C, on the printed form provided therefor, for each foreign principal named under item 6 for whom an Exhibit C has not previously been filed.

*Exhibit D.*—If Registrant is a nonbusiness organization, file a copy of any changes during the period in its charter, constitution, bylaws, or other instruments of organization.

*Exhibit E.*—File a copy of the agreement or arrangement (or if not in writing, a written description thereof) between the Registrant and each business firm or other organization named under item 11 (c), and copies of all changes during the period in similar contracts previously filed.

The undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) that he has (they have) read the information set forth in this statement and the attached exhibits and that he is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to the truth or accuracy of the information contained in Exhibit A insofar as such information is not within his (their) personal knowledge.

(Type or print name under each signature)

  
 (Signature)  
 Ph. J. Gomperts  
 Executive Secretary

(Both copies of this statement shall be signed and sworn to before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths, by a majority of those partners, officers, directors, or persons performing similar functions who are in the United States. If no such person is in the United States, the statement shall be signed and sworn to by the duly authorized representative of the Registrant.)

(Signature)

(Signature)

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at New York, New York

this 14th day of November, 19 57.

  
 (Signature of notary or other officer)

My commission expires March 30, 19 58

TILSE D. ANGENENT  
 Notary Public, State of New York  
 No. 03-5085350  
 Qualified in Bronx County  
 Term Expires March 30, 1958



EXHIBIT F

9. Furnish the following information as to all employees and other individuals except those named under item 4, who during the period rendered any services, or assistance to Registrant, with or without compensation, for or in the interests of any foreign principal named under item 6:

a) All such employees and other individuals for whom Exhibits A have previously been filed.

Name and address of employee or other individual	Nature of any changes during period in activities for Registrant or its foreign principals	Has connection with Registrant ended?
Anne Lago 107-04 - 110th St. Richmond Hill, N.Y.	No change	No.
P. Pearse O'Sullivan 307 West 79th St. New York, N.Y.	" "	Yes
Gerda J.E. Roth (formerly Gerda J.E.Berman) 233 West 77th St. New York 24, N.Y.	Stenographer	Yes
Marian Francis Carino 115 Hillcrest Road Mt. Vernon, N.Y.	Assistant to the Editor	No.

b) All such employees and other individuals for whom Exhibits A have not been previously filed.

<u>Name and address of employee or other individual</u>	<u>Nature of service or assistance rendered</u>	<u>Has connection with Registrant ended?</u>
Bridget M. Coyle 531 E. 78th Street New York, N.Y.	Stenographer	No.
Cornelia Kremnitzer 33 Old Army Road Scarsdale, N.Y.	Stenographer	No.
Margaret Belanger 112-02 - 207th St. Hollis, L.I.N.Y.	Editor of monthly Bulletin & Bookkeeper	No.
John M. Bakels 1062 Luhmann Terrace Secaucus, N.J.	Commercial Department	No.
Alexander Ebsall 144-06 88th Ave. Jamaica 35, N.Y.	Clerk	Yes
Mrs. Willy Ackerman 43-34 166th Street Flushing 58, N.Y.	Switchboard Operator and Receptionist	No.
Mrs. Yvonne van Tuyn 102-45 62nd Rd. Forest Hills 75, N.Y.	Stenographer	No.

EXHIBIT C

11. (c) Preparation and distribution of publications referred to in answer to (b) above.

<u>Description of Publication</u>	<u>By whom written, edited or pre- pared</u>	<u>By whom printed, produced or published</u>	<u>By whom distributed</u>
See Registration Statement and item 7 - 5 issues of bulletin titled "U.S.-Holland" and one special issue "From-Holland" - all devoted to articles & news items, etc. of a commercial & economic nature concerning the U.S. and the Netherlands	Prepared by our staff	Printed by Cocce Press	Advertisers Mailing Service, Inc.

14. File the following exhibits with this statement:

- a) Short Form Registration Statement is being filed for one employee:

Miss Margaret Belanger  
Editor of "U.S.-Holland"

- b) Short Form Registration Statements are not being filed for employees who exercise no discretionary power in the direction of the affairs of our Organization, in accordance with letter of the Department of Justice, Foreign Agents Registration Section dated February 20, 1949, reference DRB/NBL:ms 149-480

Exhibit B - No change in the understanding with the Netherlands Government.

Exhibit C - Exhibit C's were filed with Registration Statement.

Exhibit D - There has been no change in our By-laws in this period.

Exhibit E - Cocce Press prints our publication. There is no written agreement.